

NCDPS Response to MuckRock Request

Request Item 1: All policies related to the employment and payment of incarcerated persons under the jurisdiction of this agency.

In reviewing the Work Release section of our Prisons Policy and Procedure Manual, the only policy found relating to this topic was:

- The employer must pay at least the current minimum wage;
- The employer must participate in an insurance program, preferably the Worker's Compensation Program, which will compensate the inmate for injury by accident arising out of and in the course of employment;
- The work setting must provide an appropriately supervised environment. Employment by a family member is prohibited. A family member is defined as father, mother, brother, sister, husband, wife, child, aunt, uncle, grandparents, in-laws, foster parent or other persons who acted in place of parents where such relationships can be verified.

Request Item 2: The most recent report regarding currently-employed incarcerated persons under the jurisdiction of this agency. Please include all available segregable information, including the type of employment, the wage at which the employment occurs, and any other applicable information. Please do not include any personally identifying information.

In querying our OPUS database, the following table summarizes the current number of inmates and types of businesses for our Work Release inmates:

Number of Inmates Currently Employed	Type of Business
92	MANUFACTURING
70	PALLET MANUFACTURER
50	FOOD SERVICE
44	RECYCLING
43	FURNITURE MANUFACTURING
41	LUMBER COMPANY
41	RESTAURANT
38	TEXTILES
35	CONCRETE
26	VENEER MILL
26	POULTRY PROCESSING
22	FOOD PROCESSING
22	SANITATION/CLEANING
22	YARN MANUFACTURING
21	COUNTRY HAM PROCESS

21	METAL FABRICATIONS
18	POWDER COATING METAL
16	PROCESSING HAMS
14	BUILD FURNITURE FRAMES
14	MIRROR/GLASS MANUFACTURING
13	BUILD LOCKERS
12	FOAM FABRICATION
11	FOAM PRODUCTS
11	GLASS MANUFACTURING
10	CONSTRUCTING PALLETS
10	CONSTRUCTION
10	CONTRACT SANITATION
10	FAST FOOD
10	WELDING
9	GENERAL INDUSTRIAL
8	BUILD CUSTOM FURNITURE
8	MIRROR/GLASS MANUFACTURING
7	CONFERENCE CENTER
7	EGG PLANT
7	ELECTRICAL COMPANY
7	MANUFACTURING PALLET
6	FIBER MFG CO
6	FIREWOOD PROCESSOR
6	PET TREAT MANUFACTURER
6	SOW FARM
6	TIRE PLANT
6	WOOD WORKS
5	CHEMICAL COMPANY
5	DYEING & FINISHING
5	FABRIC FINISHING
5	GOVERNMENT AGENCY
5	GREENHOUSE NURSERY
5	PANELS AND SERVICES
4	AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR
4	BEDDING FURNITURE
4	FENCE MANUFACTURER
4	FISHING TACKLE
4	FLOORING DISTRIBUTOR
4	FURNITURE DISTRIBUTION
4	HUMANE SOCIETY-ADOPT
4	IRON FABRICATION
4	PLASTICS
4	TRUSS MANUFACTURER
3	CONTRACT PACKAGING
3	COUNTRY CLUB
3	FABRIC MANUFACTURER

3	FACTORY
3	FIRE CONTROL
3	FRAME COMPANY
3	FURNITURE SUPPLIER
3	FURNITURE UPHOLSTERY
3	GROCERY STORE
3	KENNEL ASSEMBLY
3	LINEN CLEANING SERVICES
3	LOCAL GOVERNMENT
3	MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
3	SAW FARM
3	TIRE SERVICE
2	MACHINE SHOP
2	OUTDOOR POWER EQUIPMENT
2	ROOFING
2	SLAUGHTER HOUSE
2	TEXTILE LAUNDRY
1	COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION
1	HEALTHCARE
1	HOME IMPROVEMENT
1	HOSPITALITY
1	HVAC CONTRACTOR
1	LANDSCAPING SERVICES
1	SERVICE ANIMALS
1	SHIPPING MARINE ITEM
1	SUBSTANCE ABUSE CLINIC
1	TOWNSHIP
997	Total Number of Working Inmates

Request Item 3: All reports regarding post-incarceration employment for individuals formally under the jurisdiction of this agency.

No data at all exists on this subject.